(b) whether any accurate data has been collected by Director General of Labour Welfare on the level of employment and impact on employment by restrictive legislation;

(c) the details of such data; and

(d) the relationship identified between employment and restrictive legislative on beedies etc.

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A. SANGMA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) The Ministry of Health have appointed an Expert committee to go into the different aspects of tobacco use including employment aspect.

Pending Schemes of Uttar Pradesh

1489. SHRI RAJ NATH SINGH: Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the various schemes sent by Government of Uttar pradesh pending with the Central Government for their approval;

(b) the action taken by the Central Government on these schemes; and

(c) the time by which these schemes are likely to be approved?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI GIRIDHAR GAMANG): (a) According to information furnished by Government of Uttar Pradesh, several proposals relating to dairy development, surface transport, power, irrigation, higher education, industry, housing, urban development, etc. are reportedly pending for clearance of Central Government.

(b) and (c) As the projects and schemes are being handled by several Central Ministries, it may be difficult to indicate the time for sanctioning of the scheme.

Warehouse facilities in Orissa

1490. SHRI SARADA MOHANTY: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) whether the warehousing facilities availble in Orissa are inadequate;

(b) if so, the specific proposal of Government to increase additional warehousing facilities during the Eighth Five Year Plan; and

(c) the funds earmarked therefor?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD (SHRI AJIT SINGH): (a) No, Sir. The capacity with FCI/CWC and SWC and their percent utilisation is given:—

	Total Capacity (Owned & Hired) (Lakh tonnes)	%age Utilisation
F.C.I. (As on 1-7-1995	4.25*	60
C.W.C. (As on 1-5-1995)	1.31	78
S.W.C. (As on 1-5-1995)	1.87	70

*It includes capacity 1.53 lakh tonnes from CWC/SWC.

So, the total available capacity in Orissa is adequate. However, FCI have delegated powers to their field officers to hire additional storage capacity as per seasonal exigencies.

(b) FCI has constucted an additional capacity of 26,680 MTs during the First 3 years of Eighth Five Year Plan in Orissa at the following centres:

1. Badam Pahar (Mayurbhani) 10,000 MTs
2. Rayagadda (Rayagadda) 5,000 MTs.